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For: KEYBUTTON ILLUMINATING DEVICE AND WIRELESS  
COMMUNICATION TERMINAL APPARATUS EQUIPPED  
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4 sheets of formal drawings are included.

An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., is included along with a Recordation Form Cover Sheet. Please record and return the assignment to the undersigned.

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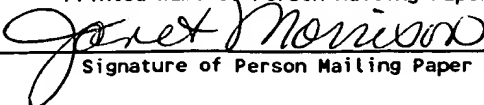
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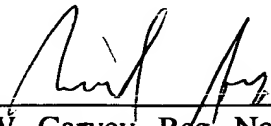
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